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In re Application of: Reimers

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For: Heat Exchanger and Process for
Devolatilizing Polymer Using the
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§Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 23, 2006

In response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2006, having a shortened
statutory period for response set to expire on November 23, 2006. Applicants respectfully
request allowance of the claims based on the following.